

22 August 1968

DD/S&T Staff Meeting  
Thursday, 22 Aug '68

Deputy Director:

1. Mentioned that the DCI had asked the Office of Personnel to do a detailed study on why the number of Career Trainees who are leaving the Agency seems to be increasing. It seems that many of them get disillusioned during their first assignment after finishing their training program. There is a feeling that they need more of a real challenge in their assignments and added responsibility. The DD asked the office chiefs to make sure that any Career Trainees assigned to their respective offices get a challenging job. In fact, this should not only pertain to CT's but to all new employees.

2. Said that [ ] will be with us on Monday and Tuesday. [ ] is not on the agenda for discussion. FE feels this is not the time to raise questions on [ ]

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3. Remarked that the Czechoslovakian situation makes it uncertain as to how to proceed with the disarmament talks.

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4. Briefly discussed the Czech situation and asked [ ] to do an assessment of the KH-4 [ ] photography to determine if it is possible to assess a crisis situation.

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5. Mentioned that there has been a change in the O/DD/S&T Security Staff situation. [ ] will stay in O/DD/S&T as Acting Chief while [ ] goes to school in September. When Harry returns [ ] then will be transferred.

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6. Mentioned that [ ] of the Comptroller Staff, O/DD/S&T, is leaving and is being assigned to O/PPB. His replacement, [ ] is on board.

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25X1 7. Gave a rundown on the recent ExCom meeting.  
25X1A Decision on the [ ] was to proceed as proposed  
by Dr. Flax. It was also decided that the [ ] project  
will go on, and [ ] gave a rundown on the  
FY 1969 financial program.

25X1A [ ] asked the DD to gig Dr. Flax on the software  
situation. Also mentioned that General Martin has floated  
his management plan on [ ] to us.

25X1A [ ] discussed a problem regarding the Presidential  
Daily Brief and the CIB. The DD mentioned that at each  
morning meeting hereafter he would check off pertinent  
items in the PDB.

25X1A [ ] exhibited a run of Agency awards in the  
past and a list of FY 1968 awards to DD/S&T personnel. The  
DD mentioned that perhaps more Certificates of Merit should  
be awarded in the Directorate.

25X1A [ ] noted that the space problem is very tight.  
Completion date on the OCS space renovation is January 1969.

Chapman discussed slot in computer school.

25X1A [ ]  
1. Mentioned form letter the Office of Personnel sends  
to Draft Board when the Draft Board queries the Agency  
regarding position of proposed draftee.

2. Mentioned the slate of candidates for the new  
Federal Executive Institute.

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1. Mentioned that a memorandum will be forthcoming from Col. White's office regarding a review of inactive records at the Records Center with the intent of purging or destroying 50 per cent of the present holdings. Each office will be asked to appoint a senior officer to review these records.

2. Mentioned a memorandum the Agency Director had received and which was subsequently sent to this Directorate inviting one participant to the Tenth Annual NORAD Electronic Warfare Conference. Action on this item was given to George Miller.

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